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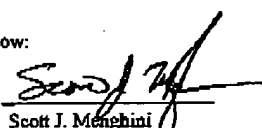
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AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2005, Applicants provide the
following:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims beginning on page

3.

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